# **FISCAL NOTE**

# **SJR 47**

February 8, 2007

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Proposes to amend Article XI of the Tennessee State Constitution to provide a minimum wage for certain persons employed within this state and give authority to the General Assembly to increase the minimum wage rate. The foregoing amendment shall be referred to the 106<sup>th</sup> General Assembly and this resolution proposing such amendment be published by the Secretary of State in accordance with Article XI, Section 3, of the Constitution of Tennessee.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

### Increase State Expenditures - \$20,000 One-Time

# Assumptions:

- A one-time cost of \$20,000 to the Secretary of State to print notice of the proposed amendment in certain newspapers as required by this resolution.
- Article IX, Section 3, of the Constitution requires publication of the resolution before the next legislative election. This publication would occur in the spring of 2008.

#### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director